



ON FIXED POINT THEOREM FOR 3-MAPPINGS IN FUZZY METRIC SPACES

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ABSTRACT

The aim of this paper is to prove a common fixed point theorem on fuzzy metric space using the notion of occasionally weakly compatibility with assuming the completeness of the space. We extend the result of C.T.Aage and J.N.Salunke[1]

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INTRODUCTION

It proved a turning point in the development of mathematics when the notion of fuzzy set was introduced by Zadeh[10], which laid the foundation of fuzzy mathematics. In this paper, we deal with the fuzzy metric space defined by Kramosil and Michalek[5] and modified by George and Veeramani [2]. Sessa[7] introduced a generalization of commutativity, so called weak commutativity. Further Jungck[4] introduced more generalized commutativity which is compatibility in metric space and proved common fixed point theorems.

Recently, C.T. Aage and J.N. Salunke[1] introduced the concept of occasionally weakly compatible mappings in fuzzy metric space and proved common fixed point theorem. In this paper, we extend this concept for 3-mappings. Here we giving some definitions which are useful for our results.

Definition 1.1[8] A binary operation $*$: $[0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$ is continuous t -norm if $*$ is satisfying the following conditions:

- (i) $*$ is commutative and associative,
- (ii) $*$ is continuous,
- (iii) $a * 1 = a$ for all $a \in [0,1]$,
- (iv) $a * b \leq c * d$ whenever $a \leq c$ and $b \leq d$ for all $a, b, c, d \in [0,1]$.

Definition 1.2[2] A 3- tuple $(X, M, *)$ is called a *fuzzy metric space* if X is an arbitrary set, $*$ is a continuous t -norm and M is a fuzzy set on $X^2 \times (0, \infty)$ satisfying the following conditions:

For all $x, y, z \in X$ and $s, t > 0$

- (FM-1) $M(x, y, t) > 0$,
- (FM-2) $M(x, y, t) = 1$ if and only if $x = y$,
- (FM-3) $M(x, y, t) = M(y, x, t)$
- (FM-4) $M(x, y, t) * M(y, z, s) \leq M(x, z, t + s)$,
- (FM-5) $M(x, y, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow (0, 1]$ is continuous.

Then M is called a fuzzy metric on X . The function $M(x, y, t)$ denote the degree of nearness between x and y with respect to t .

Example 1.3 Define a $a * b = \min \{a, b\}$ and $M(x, y, t) = t/t - |x - y|$, for all $x, y \in X$ and $t > 0$. Then $(X, M, *)$ is a fuzzy metric space.

Definition 1.4[2] Let $(X, M, *)$ be a fuzzy metric space. Then

- (a) A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X converges to x in X if and only if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_n, x, t) = 1$ for each $t > 0$.
- (b) A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X is called *Cauchy sequence* if and only if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_n, x_p, t) = 1$ for each $p > 0$ and $t > 0$.
- (c) A fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ is said to be *complete* if and only if every Cauchy sequence in X is convergent in X .

Definition 1.5[9] Two self mappings A and S of a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ are called *compatible* if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(Sx_n, SAx_n, t) = 1$, whenever $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Ax_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Sx_n = x$, for some x in X .

Definition 1.6[1] Let A and S are two self mappings of a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$. A point x in X is called a *coincidence point* of A and S if and only if $Ax = Sx$. We shall call $w = Ax = Sx$ a point of coincidence of A and S .

Definition 1.7[4] Two self mappings A and S of a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ are called *weakly compatible* if they commute at their coincidence points. i.e. if $Au = Su$ for some $u \in X$, then $ASu = SAu$.

Definition 1.8[1] Two self mappings A and S of a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ are called *occasionally weakly compatible (owc)* if and only if a point x in X which is coincidence point of A and S at which A and S commute.

Lemma 1.9[6] Let a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$. If for all $x, y \in X$ and $t > 0$ with positive number $q \in (0, 1)$ and $M(x, y, qt) \geq M(x, y, t)$, then $x = y$.

Lemma 1.10[1] Let A and S are two owc self mappings of a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$. If A and S have unique point of coincidence, $w = Ax = Sx$, then w is unique common fixed point of A and S .

Theorem A [1] Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space and let A, B, S and T be self mappings of X . Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$ and $\{B, T\}$ be owc. If there exists $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$M(Ax, By, qt) \geq \min \{M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t)\}$$

for all $x, y \in X$ and $t > 0$, then there exists a unique point $w \in X$ such that $Aw = Sw = w$ and a unique point $z \in X$ such that $Bz = Tz = z$. Moreover, $z = w$, so that there is a unique common fixed point of A, B, S and T .

Theorem B [1] Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space and let A, B, S and T be self mappings of X . Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$ and $\{B, T\}$ be owc. If there exists $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$M(Ax, By, qt) \geq \Phi(\min \{M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t)\})$$

for all $x, y \in X$ and $\Phi : [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$ such that $\Phi(t) > t$ for all $t \in (0, 1)$, then there exists a unique common fixed point of A, B, S and T .

Theorem C [1] Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space and let A, B, S and T be self mappings of X . Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$ and $\{B, T\}$ be owc. If there exists $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$M(Ax, By, qt) \geq \Phi(M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t))$$

for all $x, y \in X$ and $\Phi : [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$ such that $\Phi(t, 1, 1, t, t) > t$ for all $t \in (0, 1)$, then there exists a unique common fixed point of A, B, S and T .

EXPERIENTIAL WORK

Theorem 2.1 Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space and let A, B, C, S, T and U be self mappings of X . Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$, $\{B, T\}$ and $\{C, U\}$ be occasionally weakly compatible (owc). If there exists $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} M(Ax, By, qt) &\geq \min \{M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), \\ &\quad M(By, Sx, t)\} \quad \dots(i) \\ M(By, Cz, qt) &\geq \min \{M(Ty, Uz, t), M(Ty, By, t), M(Cz, Uz, t), M(By, Uz, t), \\ &\quad M(Cz, Ty, t)\} \quad \dots(ii) \\ M(Ax, Cz, qt) &\geq \min \{M(Sx, Uz, t), M(Uz, Cz, t), M(Ax, Sx, t), M(Ax, Uz, t), \\ &\quad M(Cz, Sx, t)\} \quad \dots(iii) \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y, z \in X$ and $t > 0$, then there exists a unique point $u \in X$ such that $Au = Su = u$, a unique point $v \in X$ such that $Bv = Tv = v$ and a unique point $w \in X$ such that $Cw = Uw = w$. Moreover, $u = v = w$, so that there is a unique common fixed point of A, B, C, S, T and U .

Proof: Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$, $\{B, T\}$ and $\{C, U\}$ be owc so there are three points $x, y, z \in X$ such that $Ax = Sx, By = Ty$ and $Cz = Uz$.

We have to show that

Part(I) (a) $Ax = By$
(b) $By = Cz$
And (c) $Ax = Cz$,

Part(II) (d) Uniqueness of u
(e) Uniqueness of v
And (f) Uniqueness of w ,

Part(III) $u = v = w$.

Now we start the proof of our theorem.

Part(I)

(a) Let(hyp.) $Ax \neq By$
By inequality (I)
 $M(Ax, By, qt) \geq \min\{M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t)\}$
 $= \min\{M(Ax, By, t), M(Ax, Ax, t), M(By, By, t), M(Ax, By, t), M(By, Ax, t)\}$
[since $Ax = Sx, By = Ty$]

$$= M(Ax, By, t)$$

Hence $M(Ax, By, qt) \geq M(Ax, By, t)$, for $q \in (0, 1), t > 0$.

Which give contradiction of lemma 1.9. Hence our hyp. is false and $Ax = By$.

(b) Let(hyp.) $By \neq Cz$
By inequality (ii)
 $M(By, Cz, qt) \geq \min\{M(Ty, Uz, t), M(Ty, By, t), M(Cz, Uz, t), M(By, Uz, t), M(Cz, Ty, t)\}$
 $= \min\{M(By, Cz, t), M(By, By, t), M(Cz, Cz, t), M(By, Cz, t), M(Cz, By, t)\}$
[since $By = Ty, Cz = Uz$]

$$= M(By, Cz, t)$$

Hence $M(By, Cz, qt) \geq M(By, Cz, t)$, for $q \in (0, 1), t > 0$.

Which give contradiction of lemma 1.9. Hence our hyp. is false and $By = Cz$.

Similarly, we can prove (c) $Ax = Cz$.

Part(II)

(a) Let(hyp.) u is not unique. Another point $x_1 \in X$ such that $Ax_1 = Sx_1$ then by(i) inequality, we have
 $Ax_1 = Sx_1 = By = Ty$ and $Ax = By$
Therefore $Ax = Ax_1$ and $u = Ax = Sx$. Hence by lemma 1.10, u is the unique point of coincidence of A and S .
(b) Let(hyp.) v is not unique. Another point $y_1 \in X$ such that $By_1 = Ty_1$ then by(ii) inequality, we have
 $By_1 = Ty_1 = Cz = Uz$ and $By = Cz$
Therefore $By = By_1$ and $v = By = Ty$. Hence by lemma 1.10, v is the unique point of coincidence of B and T .
Similarly, we can show (f), w is a unique point such that $w = Cw = Uw$.

Part(III)

Let(hyp.) $u \neq v$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} M(u, v, qt) &= M(Ax, By, qt) \\ &\geq \min\{M(Su, Tv, t), M(Su, Au, t), M(Bv, Tv, t), M(Au, Tv, t), M(Bv, Su, t)\} \\ &= \min\{M(u, v, t), M(u, u, t), M(v, v, t), M(u, v, t), M(v, u, t)\} \\ &= M(u, v, t) \end{aligned}$$

which gives contradiction of lemma 1.9. Therefore our hyp. is false and $u = v$. Similarly, we can show $v = w$. Hence by lemma 2.10, $u = v = w$ and u is common fixed point of A, B, C, S, T and U . The uniqueness of the fixed point holds from (i), (ii), (iii).

Theorem 2.2 Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space and let A, B, C, S, T and U be self mappings of X . Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$, $\{B, T\}$ and $\{C, U\}$ be owc. If there exists $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} M(Ax, By, qt) &\geq \Phi(\min\{M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t)\}) \\ M(By, Cz, qt) &\geq \Phi(\min\{M(Ty, Uz, t), M(Ty, By, t), M(Cz, Uz, t), M(By, Uz, t), M(Cz, Ty, t)\}) \\ M(Ax, Cz, qt) &\geq \Phi(\min\{M(Sx, Uz, t), M(Uz, Cz, t), M(Ax, Sx, t), M(Ax, Uz, t), M(Cz, Sx, t)\}) \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y, z \in X$ and $\Phi: [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that $\Phi(t) > t$ for all $t \in (0, 1)$, then there exists a unique common fixed point of A, B, C, S, T and U .

Proof: The proof follows from Theorem 3.1.

Theorem 2.3 Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space and let A, B, C, S, T and U be self mappings of X . Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$, $\{B, T\}$ and $\{C, U\}$ be owc. If there exists $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} M(Ax, By, qt) &\geq \Phi(M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t)) \quad \dots(iv) \\ M(By, Cz, qt) &\geq \Phi(M(Ty, Uz, t), M(Ty, By, t), M(Cz, Uz, t), M(By, Uz, t), M(Cz, Ty, t)) \quad \dots(v) \\ M(Ax, Cz, qt) &\geq \Phi(M(Sx, Uz, t), M(Uz, Cz, t), M(Ax, Sx, t), M(Ax, Uz, t), M(Cz, Sx, t)) \quad \dots(vi) \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y, z \in X$ and $\Phi: [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ such that $\Phi(t, 1, 1, t, t) > t$ for all $t \in (0, 1)$, then there exists a unique common fixed point of A, B, C, S, T and U .

Proof: Let the pairs $\{A, S\}$, $\{B, T\}$ and $\{C, U\}$ be owc so there are three points $x, y, z \in X$ such that $Ax = Sx, By = Ty$ and $Cz = Uz$.

We have to show that

Part(I) (a) $Ax = By$
(b) $By = Cz$
And (c) $Ax = Cz$.

Part(II) Uniqueness of point of coincidence u, v and w .

Now we start the proof of our theorem.

Part(I)

(a) Let(hyp.) $Ax \neq By$
By inequality (iv)
 $M(Ax, By, qt) \geq \Phi(M(Sx, Ty, t), M(Sx, Ax, t), M(By, Ty, t), M(Ax, Ty, t), M(By, Sx, t))$
 $= \Phi(M(Ax, By, t), M(Ax, Ax, t), M(By, By, t), M(Ax, By, t), M(By, Ax, t))$
[since $Ax = Sx, By = Ty$]
 $= \Phi(M(Ax, By, t), 1, 1, M(Ax, By, t), M(By, Ax, t))$
 $> M(Ax, By, t)$ [since $\Phi(t, 1, 1, t, t) > t$]

Hence $M(Ax, By, qt) \geq M(Ax, By, t)$, for $q \in (0, 1), t > 0$.

Which give contradiction of lemma 1.9. Hence our hyp. is false and $Ax = By$.

(b) Let(hyp.) $By \neq Cz$
By inequality (v)
 $M(By, Cz, qt) \geq \Phi(M(Ty, Uz, t), M(Ty, By, t), M(Cz, Uz, t), M(By, Uz, t), M(Cz, Ty, t))$
 $= \Phi(M(By, Cz, t), M(By, By, t), M(Cz, Cz, t), M(By, Cz, t), M(Cz, By, t))$
[since $By = Ty, Cz = Uz$]
 $= \Phi(M(By, Cz, t), 1, 1, M(By, Cz, t), M(Cz, By, t))$
 $> M(By, Cz, t)$ [since $\Phi(t, 1, 1, t, t) > t$]

Hence $M(By, Cz, qt) \geq M(By, Cz, t)$, for $q \in (0, 1), t > 0$.

Which give contradiction of lemma 1.9. Hence our hyp. is false and $By = Cz$.

Similarly, we can prove (c) $Ax = Cz$.

We can easily show the proof of part (II) same as theorem 3.1, hence $u = v = w$ and u is common fixed point of A, B, C, S, T and U . The uniqueness of the fixed point holds from (iv), (v), (vi).

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